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## THE FINANCIAL PLAN.

### That Is What Troubles the World's Fair Committee.

EXPOSITION WILL BE HELD IN 1892

**So Say the Majority of the Committee Appointed to Attend to the Matter—How Belden of New York, Was Sat Down Upon by Springer of Illinois—Washington City Notes of Interest to the Reading Public**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—With the exception of one section the world's fair bill is ready to report to the house. This section however is no nearer a settlement than it was before the committee. It concerns the financial plan on which the fair is to be conducted and it caused a long controversy at the meeting of the committee on Saturday. Monday morning when the committee met the members present were Chairman Candler, Hitt and Springer of Illinois, Belden and Flower of New York, and Hatch of Missouri. The troublesome section was taken up but it soon became obvious that the committee could come to no agreement on it and it was passed over for the present.

**The Fair To Be Held in 1892**

The eighth section which provides for the time of holding the fair leaving blank the date was so the cause of much discussion. Candler offered an amendment providing that a quadricentennial celebration be held on Oct. 12, 1892, and that the following year. Hitt and Springer as Chicago representatives declined to vote on this amendment and it was voted down—Belden, Hatch and Flower in the negative and Candler in the affirmative. An amendment fixing the time for holding the fair from April 1 to Oct. 30, 1892, was offered and carried. An adjournment was taken without action on the fifth section.

### WOOD'S LITTLE FORGERY

**Col. Sands of Cincinnati Directly Contradicts Private Secretary Kurtz**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—The Ohio ballot box forgery was given a little more investigation Saturday by the house special committee. The witness was Col. A. C. Sands of Cincinnati. He contradicted Governor Foraker's private secretary Kurtz on almost every point of that gentleman's story in regard to his (Sands') visit to Kurtz that he had read Foraker's Music Hall speech and that it was a clever one. He told Kurtz that Representative Campbell (now governor) had been to see President Cleveland in the interest of the passage of the ballot box bill and that he had seen a ballot box contract signed by leading congressmen. Witness told Foraker when the latter left him afterward he expected Wood to be regarding the firm as committed to much of the amendment. Wood Foraker said he had the highest. He told Campbell and others were in a position affirm. Witness had never seen Foraker for a long time before. Witness had seen the world's supply houses at night. Witness denied that Shumaker and Butler were with the party when they dined in his rooms. Sands was taken to Kurtz's rooms to identify the committee notice of the visit at the Music Hall and he did.

**Cast Up by the Tide**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—The body of a white man was washed up by the tide on the bank of the eastern branch of the Potomac near a fishing hut. It was in the surf at the point of the mouth of Burgess's Creek, which disappeared in Dec. 1. Jones went down Christmas night. He never received a letter from him the next morning saying that he would not return. He had written from the day of leaving. An examination of Jones's counts revealed a shortage of $800.

**A Chance for the Women**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—Mr. Ingalls this afternoon Mr. Jones of Arkansas introduced in the senate a joint resolution providing that soldiers who have lost both eyes or one arm or one leg or both arms or both legs, may marry some one to take care of him. "After his death the widow is to receive a $12 pension, and if she remains his widow. In case of desertion for six months the soldier may obtain divorce through a country court or by order etc.

**Held Out for Murder**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—An inquest was held on the remains of Charles Boemann, a boy who was accidentally killed with a rifle by a laid man I. Gates, W. Gates on Saturday. The jury found Gates responsible and he was committed to await the action of the grand jury. The coroner's jury was out two hours. Five of them favored the release of Gates but the sixth man, H. L. Trice, held out for murder and finally swung the others by.

**The Pacific Railways**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—President Adams of the Union Pacific Railroad company addressed the house committee on Pacific railroads on Senator Frye's funding bill. He opposed the bill which he says, will not be to the advantage of the government nor of the Union Pacific. He says the framers of the bill have fallen into the error of imposing on a working road terms more onerous than the debt can bear.

**They Got Fat Jobs**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—The president has sent to the senate the following nominations: United States consuls—William S. Preston, of New York, at Cologne, J. S. Kellogg of Louisiana, at Stettin, A. W. Street of New York, at Coatzacoalcos, S. B. Ziegler of Iowa at Aix la Chapelle, J. R. Danforth of Pennsylvania at Vera Cruz and Leg.

**They Object to Open Session**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—In the secret session the Colorado cases for consideration in open session in the nominations of District Judge Seevers and District Attorney Stripling of the northern district of Florida were rejected after brief debate by large majorities.

**Davidson's Nomination Confirmed**

WASHINGTON CITY, March 17.—The senate in secret session has confirmed the nomination of Andrew Davidson of New York to be first deputy commissioner of pensions.

**Quashed the Indictment**

JACKSON, Miss., March 17.—The indictment against John L. Sullivan has been quashed by the supreme court on the ground of being defective in its statement, revised the case and remanded the defendant to the next term of the Marion county court to answer such indictment as may be found against him there.

### THE PERIL OF THE DEEP

**Five Sailors Drowned at York Spit Lighthouse**

NORFOLK, Va., March 17.—The steamer Defiance arrived here from Baltimore and Capt. Burgess reported that on passing York Spit lighthouse he saw a schooner aground and sunk on the spit, near the northwest buoy. About the same time a yawl containing five men left the sunken schooner and pulled for the light. The wind was blowing a hurricane and as the boat approached the lighthouse it was thrown against the north pier and swamped and all five men were thrown overboard. The men grasped the timbers of the piles made a desperate struggle for life but the seas dashed over them with such force that they were soon benumbed and helpless and were drowned.

**Saw All the Men Drown**

A short time previous a boat had been observed from the lighthouse and a man was seen to slip down a pile and jump into it. The boat was then blown away. The Defiance came up and picked up the drifting boat and threw the man a line and he was hauled on board. He proved to be James B. Hunt, the second keeper of the lighthouse. He stated that the five sailors left men were drowned in his presence and he was unable to render them any assistance on account of the violent seas breaking over everything. It is supposed the dead men drove ashore and were trying to reach the river, but it is impossible to obtain the names of the drowned. Capt. Burgess reported the disaster to the collector of customs and he forwarded it to the lighthouse department.

### A COMPLAINT FROM KANSAS

**The Farmers Alliance Sets Forth a Bad State of Affairs**

TOPEKA, Kan., March 17.—The Farmers Alliance is thought to be about ready to send in a petition to the Kansas delegation in congress calling the attention to the alarming condition of the agricultural interests of this state and demanding legislation for its relief. The petition says: We call attention to the fact that a single law firm in a city of Kansas now has the contract for the foreclosure of 1,800 mortgages. This firm is 1,800 homesteads transferred from the hands of industrious farmers to the hands of speculators, other lawyers and loan sharks.

## A DISGRACEFUL AFFAIR.

### Priest and Parishioner Fight in Church.

THE LATTER GETS THE WORST OF IT

**Owing to the Assistance Rendered the Priest by Several of His Friends—The Trouble Originated Over the Refusal of the Parishioner to Indorse a Note for the Priest Claiming the Entrance of His Church Law**

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., March 17.—George Hughes went up to New York to attend the funeral of his father. This disagreement resulted in an extraordinary scene in St. Mary's Catholic church here on Sunday morning and Mr. Hughes spent the latter part of the day at home with his head in bandages. The church was dedicated Feb. 2. Mr. Hughes spoke out to New York the day before and told his family he was intending to pay for it. Father Early asked him to indorse a note for $800 and again Hughes declined. Mr. Hughes says that during the interview Father Early called him a liar and ordered him out of the house. Mr. Hughes sent Father Early his check for $1,000 on Feb. 1, and Father Early returned it. Mr. Hughes son went to the church to attend services Sunday March 2 and found a man across the entrance to the pews. He went against it and gave way.

**Took the Whole Seat Out**

He saw no trouble in church again Saturday morning March 8 and found that the wedge had been placed against the door. Mr. Hughes, the elder, went to church to attend service Sunday morning March 9 and found with him two companions and carried with them the screw driver. Just as Mr. Hughes went out of the church Father Early started from the sacristan and told them the pew and seated them elsewhere against his wishes.

Sunday morning Mr. Hughes and his son went little before mass and worked the contraption out to make their seat again. Father Early came up and told them the church was closed. Just as Mr. Hughes went out of the church Father Early started from the sacristan and locked the door.

**Warrants Sworn Out.**

Hughes consulted an officer and with his hands, which Philip Sullivan and John Cullen, neighbors of Father Early and another man came in the street to the pew and some of the members who remained Mr. Hughes were from home to the other end of the pew. He told Mr. Hughes he had down by which was where John Cullen got in the fight. Hughes was hammered Mr. Hughes and since had an inch with his fists. Mr. Hughes struck Mr. Hughes with his cane. Mr. Hughes was knocked down and his head was bruised. The services then proceeded with many interruptions. Mr. Hughes had warrants sworn out for the arrest of Father Early, Sullivan, Cullen, and others.

### TORTURED A TRAMP

**Strung Up to a Tree by the Neck to Make Him Confess**

GREENWOOD, Mich., March 17.—A tramp was captured in the morning in the northern part of the city by some farmers who thought he was like the description of the man who had assaulted Miss Addison Ashley. The tramp had in his possession a pair of gloves such as the young man who assaulted Miss Ashley had worn. The tramp was told that his only hope of safety was to confess, but he swore that he had done nothing. He was then tied and hung to a tree until he was cut down.

**Fired to Identify Him**

His pockets were searched, and he was found to have a bottle of a trade mark which was cut from the bottle. Upon this he was told that the section would be hung until he had confessed. He still persisted that he did not know what he was accused of. By this time the news had spread to the other farmers and they came in to identify him. The tramp was hung up for the second time and was cut down. He still persisted in his story. The tramp was then taken to the village and was given a trial. The tramp was hung up for the third time and was cut down. He still persisted in his story. The tramp was then taken to the village and was given a trial. The tramp was hung up for the fourth time and was cut down. He still persisted in his story. The tramp was then taken to the village and was given a trial. The tramp was hung up for the fifth time and was cut down. He still persisted in his story. The tramp was then taken to the village and was given a trial. 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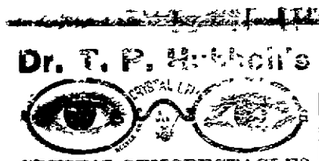

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### TWO WORTHIES

The two republicans from Montana will probably be given seats in the U. S. Senate. The Senate is judge of the election of its own members which in this case means that none but republicans need apply. The story of the election troubles in Montana is a long one too long to be gone over here. We will only say that, in the face of the returns that were made on election night, control of the Montana legislature belonged to the democrats. A little matter of that kind does not worry a republican who is anxious for office and who admits to himself that he has a divine right to rule. Such a fellow just goes ahead to correct the mistakes which he feels the people have made. The votes in Montana were in favor of the democrat but now that they have been put through some peculiar process to the use of which the republicans have secured exclusive preemptory rights, the republicans are declared the victors. Such a report will be made in the Senate and Montana will have two representatives who will devote their entire time to a study of the interests of New England and Pennsylvania.

It is very fitting that Senator Hoar should make the report that will produce this result. Somebody has said that Hoar is the Peckskill of the Senate. It is thought that if Dickens were alive he would make objections to half of his old creation. Peckniff may have been a thoroughly hypocritical bottom but he was deprived of many of the opportunities for development that have come in the way of the Massachusetts Senator. Hoar is greater in the same line because he lives in an age of larger possibilities.

Hoar will doubtlessly intimate that he is well informed and the vote as cast in Montana and at the same time to assume that he regards the sanctity of the ballot as something that always finds mention in his morning and evening prayers, he will worry his brother Senators to distraction with tearful stories of ballots that are not counted at the South. If properly reported among these laments and lamentations a few pearly tears will be dropped in behalf of the Ohio gerrymander as made by republicans. You can depend upon Hoar to pray and cry—and be the rankest skinful that ever cursed politics.

This is the kind of men the republicans have secured to pass upon elections in the Senate. In the House they have our own Capt. Rowell, a man who would be gallant had he awakened to the desirable importance of such action before the opportunity had slipped by. Rowell is distinguished because of what he might have done and of what he may do. He is now set up as the running mate of Hoar. They compose Congress present board of malfeasance. You may pass them in safety and with flying colors if you know the republican wink. But if you don't know it all the prayers in the world won't help you—Hoar is out to that kind of business and Rowell has been told that Hoar is an authority in such matters.

With Hoar and Rowell standing guard at the entrance to legislative halls it becomes necessary for Tom Reed to explain how he dares to see democrats on the inside.

### GO HANG YOURSELVES

It seems that the Louisiana Lottery is getting a cuff on every corner. The old concern has now been denied permission to set itself up as a munificent boodler idol. The high waters in the Mississippi did much damage to the levees in Louisiana. A great deal of money is required at once to put them in repair. The situation has about it many of the ingredients of a calamity. The Lottery company was suddenly seized with a desire to play the role of a public and timely benefactor. You know there is an old feeling that tolerates the rascal, provided his virtues are of the flashy and ostentatious kind. The managers of the lottery are aware that there is nothing that appeals to the people like the sweetness of a large cash donation in time of distress. The same managers are now in a position where it behooves them to make the strongest kind of an appeal. Their charter has about run out, and the motive that prompts all present moves is, "how to get another?"

In pursuance of this work the managers of the lottery sent the governor of Louisiana a check for $100,000. The money was to be used in repairing the levees. But it now appears that the governor of Louisiana is not made of that kind of stuff, for he returned the check, unaccompanied even by an expression of thanks for intentions that were not entirely clear on their face. The lottery company will not go into the levee building business, and it must now hunt a charter somewhere outside the Mississippi borders.

If people in the other states of the Union owe the governor of Louisiana their thanks for his action in this matter. There seems to be an honest determination on his part to drive the lottery out of existence, and thus save a few million dollars each year to the gulls that are scattered all over the country. The managers may learn that they are getting into desperately bad odor. Sinbad once told of a possessor of wealth to go buy a drop and hang himself. The action of Louisiana's governor amounts to the same advice. The lottery company can't give away $100,000, and yet it is very anxious to do so. The money seems to be burning its fearful conscience. Put it away, give the gold to buy hemp. In conclusion we beg leave to emphasize that this refusal to strike a good bargain with high toned rascality occurred in the state of Louisiana. It is probable that there are other virtues in a people who have such a genuine abhorrence of even a delicate kind of bribery.

GEORGE R. DAVIS is treasurer of Cook county and an important cogwheel in a very badly mashed machine. The people of Chicago have sat up on his candidates until he has become fearful that they will treat himself in an undignified fashion. Cook county has become a closer political bailiwick than the Third Congressional district. On this account the battered and picturesque George would like to exchange places with Billy Mason. The program is for Billy to run for treasurer, allowing George to take his chances for congress before a more decided majority. The office of treasurer pays better, but the other is regarded as surer cinch. Davis stands in need of the surest thing there is in sight. If Billy makes the trade, he will learn a good deal about the delight there is in holding a bag.

THE North Main street concern is not setting the rivers on fire. We can't see that the recent union is probing. Republicans who are vexed with Editor Calhoun should remember that it necessarily takes an enormous amount of perseverance and time to make a hermaphrodite breed.

THE REPUBLICAN runs in that old chest out about democrats occupying the same ground republicans did last year. Ohio and Iowa is probably meant. But how do you fellows manage to be merry over such things?

PAT HEFFERNAN is trying to wind up Decatur. Will some one divert his attention from our writer by taking him out to our beautiful park? When he gets back to town make him drink with.

THOSE who contemplate a trip to Europe had better become proof against sea sickness by riding for a few hours on the pitching chariots that are controlled by the Citizens Line.

THEY have no lottery in North Dakota, no seed wheat but they have a beautiful home market for rent.

**Cerro Gordo**

Special Correspondence to THE REVIEW

Dick Drum and Miss Nannie Shinn visited Decatur yesterday.

W. J. Huff, of Decatur, was in town with friends over Sunday.

Rev. J. M. Young of Pittsfield will preach at the M. E. church next Sunday.

Rev. F. F. Cowl, private, of Chicago, preached at the Christian church yesterday and last night.

The roads in this vicinity are beginning to get passable and if good weather continues the elevators will do a rushing business for a time.

Mumps are making sad havoc with the schools here, and the sweet girl graduates effect, are wondering whether or not their enforced vacation will cut any figure as to who will be valedictorian.

The fun rail of Mrs. Henry Kuns who died in this city on last Thursday, was preached at the German Baptist church on Saturday forenoon, by Rev. D. B. Gibson. The body was interred in the Pleasant Grove cemetery northeast of town.

Robert Pemble, Jr. and wife, returned from their wedding tour in Chicago, on Sunday afternoon. They will set up housekeeping immediately on the groom's farm, near town. That their lives may be one of blissful honeymoon, is the wish of their many friends.

The republicans of Cerro Gordo will hold their convention next Saturday, March 22 at the Lyons hall, in Cerro Gordo. It will be conducted on the ballot principle, and the polls will be open from 2:30 p m to 5:00 p m. The democrats will hold their convention on the Monday following.

The meeting at the Presbyterian church, that has been conducted the past week by Rev. Dr. W. F. Williamson D. D., of Carlinville, closed last night. He has met with but very poor success in his evangelistic work here,—however this should not be credited to the hardness of the hearts of the people of Cerro Gordo, but to the scarcity of sinners.

March 17, 1890.

**Mosquito**

Special Correspondence to The Review

John McVey lost an equine last Friday.

Mrs. Albert Benleschki, of Tolono, was visiting relatives here last week.

The roads are almost impassable. Farmers report the wheat in a bad condition.

Born, on March 10, 1890, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Overmier, a son, of the usual weight.

Hunting is said to be good along the Sangamon. A person can hunt all day and not get a thing.

The F. M. B. A. lodge at Boody now has about 70 members, and is reported in a flourishing condition.

Miss Mary Marshal has been employed to teach the spring term of Pleasant Valley school, to commence April 7.

March 17.

**Real Estate Transfers**

Caroline M. Powers to Godfried Golenback, lots 7 and 8, block 9, Powers' first addition to Decatur—$650.

Horace G. Kepler to Charles T. Schenck, lots 11, 12, 13 and 14 block 4, Walters' addition to Maroa—$675.

Frederick Nientker to Adolphus Williams tract in 15, 11, 1 east—$400.

Adolphus Williams to Thomas W. Jacobs, same tract—$700.

Lewis Yowell to Mary A. Bartholomew, lot 4, block 2, Durfee, Warren & Co's second addition—$1 500.

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| David Grabell, Decatur | 33 |
| Mrs. Allie G. Northup, Decatur | 22 |

**Married**

By Ira B. Curtis, J. P., Monday, March 17th, David Grabill and Miss Allie G. Northup, both of Decatur.

## THE CITY DADS MEET.

### IMPORTANT MATTERS CONSIDERED AND DEFERRED

**A Special Meeting Held for a Park Problem—Consent Withdrawn—To Widen Eldorado Street—Judges and Clerks of Election.**

The lobby was well filled with spectators at the council meeting last night but they didn't see or hear much. Several important matters came up, but there was little discussion on them. All the aldermen were present.

PETITIONS.

Several property owners in two petitions asked the council to compel the Citizens Street Railway company to plank their track on unpaved streets according to the ordinance. They allege that planks not in conformity with the ordinance have been used, and there is great danger of breaking horses' legs and wagon wheels.

Ald. Scanlan said the street and alley committee had been on the Condit street line and had looked into the matter. Eight inch plank had been used instead of twelve, but Mr. Ferguson had told him it was done under the impression that that was right. He thought the track in good shape and it would hardly be necessary to require the company to go to the expense of changing all that plank.

Ald. Finn thought, to the extent of more than a column, that the street cars had the best of the street and should be made to put the track in proper condition, as provided for in the ordinance. He said the matter had been placed in his hands a month ago but he had overlooked it. Now he thought the Citizens company should be taught a lesson in a hurry. It was a thing not to be condoned or overlooked.

The petitions were referred to the street and alley committee.

BOILERS ARE RIGHT.

The American Steam Boiler Insurance company reports the city's boilers in good condition with general care and management good, but some brick work should be repaired immediately.

THE TWO FLAGS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Conkey, in a communication made the offer of acres of land south and west of the I. P. W. for a park. They suggested that the council visit the grounds and asked that a day be set for such a visit. A survey and a plat with abstract will be made as the council may direct. They also offered to extend the present avenues east to connect with a system of boulevards.

The matter of the fair grounds park was brought before the council by extracts from the proceedings of the board of supervisors giving in detail the discussions and resolutions there that have already been printed. It was accompanied by a resolution from Ald. Harwood that a committee of five be appointed to confer with the county board committee, for the purpose of completing the lease of the fair grounds, and when they have agreed on the conditions the mayor and city clerk shall execute the lease.

Ald. Moran offered a resolution appointing a committee of five to investigate the propositions of Mr. Conkey and the board of supervisors.

Ald. Metz stated all these grounds for parks were outside the city limits, and he wanted to know if the city had a right to exercise control and take municipal charge of grounds outside the city in that way. City Attorney McDonald was on his feet at once, and said he was not prepared to answer now. He wanted leave to put off answering until the next meeting. He was given the time by silent consent.

Some desultory discussion about the two resolutions followed and the matter was well mixed up.

Ald. Scanlan offered as a substitute for both resolutions the following: That a committee of five be appointed, to whom shall be referred the whole matter and that they shall report a site for a park at a meeting of the council on next Monday night. It was carried. The mayor appointed the following: Harwood, Scanlan, May, Graham, and Shoemaker.

LICENSES.

Saloon license was granted to Charles Robinson for a saloon at 612 North Jasper street and to Edward Werner for another one at 9 Front street.

A QUESTION OF GRADE.

Aldermen Simpson and Graham offered a resolution: That when the Decatur Electric Street railway builds its tracks on East Wood street and South Broadway it shall lay the track to grade.

Ald. Finn said to require the company to make a grade like that would be great and unreasonable expense to them and the city.

Ald. Metz said that would require them to expend thousands of dollars and keep them from going down there at all.

Ald. Scanlan called attention to the fact that the company's ordinance required them to conform to existing grades only, and there was no use talking about anything else.

The resolution was laid on the table.

TO WIDEN ELDORADO STREET.

An ordinance providing for the widening of Eldorado street between Main and Water street was introduced and passed at once under suspension of the rules. Sufficient land for the purpose should be taken from the north side of the street and condemned according to law. The widening is declared to be a local improvement, and the cost shall be assessed on the property especially benefited. W. L. Quindlan, L. C. Bassey and I. W. Ehrman are appointed to make estimate of the cost.

CONSENT WITHDRAWN.

Property owners on South Webster street representing 2845 feet of frontage presented a paper withdrawing their consent and signatures from all petitions granting the Citizens company right of way on South Webster street. They asked that no right of way be given any street car company on that street. The matter was placed on the motion of Ald. Harwood, seconded by Ald. Shoemaker.

FOR PAVING SOUTH PARK.

Property owners on South Park street agreed to pay for paving half the street if the city would pay for paving the north half. Referred to the public improvement committee.

SEWER MATTERS.

Property owners on whose ground the Jasper street sewer will pass, gave their title to the right of way for that purpose, in return for sufficient consideration.

City Engineer Burgess stated that the surveys for the Broadway, Jasper and Union street sewers had been made. He thought bids should be advertised for. A discussion arose in the council about using artificial stone for a base for the sewer, but the matter was deferred.

A NEW ALLEY.

The city attorney was instructed to draw an ordinance for an alley between Wood and Morgan streets, running from Marietta to Orchard street.

THE 1st MONDAY.

The city clerk was instructed to call a city election on the third Tuesday in April. One alderman from each ward will be elected. These judges and clerks were appointed:

First ward—Polling place at the old Wayne wagon shop. Judges, David Hughes, J. Q. A. Odor, H. F. Dillehunt. Clerks, William Strohm and William Sibley.

Second ward—At council chamber. Judges, W. J. Tusley, J. W. Bateman, R. L. Davis. Clerks, C. E. Bassey and J. C. Hostetler.

Third ward—At Caldwell's table. Judges, Ichabod Baldwin, I. N. Martin, E. P. Lytle. Clerks, I. W. Ehrman and W. I. Stamper.

Fourth ward—At Nichols' brick with shop. Judges, Henry Hagen, A. C. Stevens, James Peake. Clerk, J. C. Dempsey and Joe Peake.

Fifth ward—At Martin's Eldorado street coal office. Judges, Edward Knight, John S. Donahue, Henry Aldrich. Clerks, William Dickard, Frank Hopry.

REPORTS TO THE CITY.

The committee to whom was referred the communication of W. H. Lewis and Silas Lackard about the fence on College Hill being in the street and blocking, to them reported that the ground had been used as a street so long it should be considered dedicated to the public, and recommended that the council so hold. The report was adopted.

ADJOURNED MEETING.

On motion of Ald. Scanlan the council adjourned till next Monday night, for the purpose of considering the park committee's report and such other business as may come before the council.


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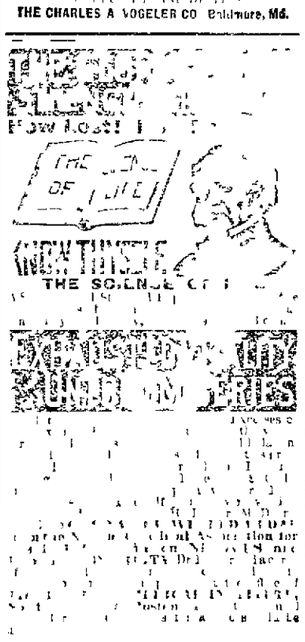

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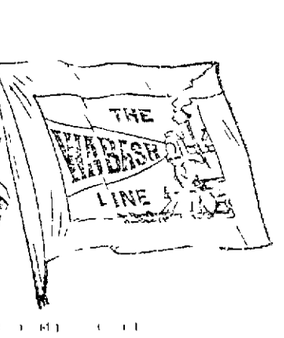


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See the most novel, varied and entertaining performance of the season.

PRICES—25c, 35c, 75c. The sale of seats will begin three days in advance at the Grand Opera House.

## Here is a Squeezer!

Just Arrived.

## 3 CAR LOADS OF

BEDS, CHAIRS,
TABLES and
SPRINGS,

To be closed out Immediately as we have no room for them, will sell best hardwood solid bottom wood seat chairs $2.50 a set; all woven wire bed springs $1.75; hardwood beds $2; No. 8 copper bottom boilers $1. We have the Superior cook stoves with the fire back warranted for 5 years for coal. Thousands of them in use.

We are offering big inducements to parties going to housekeeping.

Do not be misled but come to our place and buy your outfit and save money.

## Bachman Bros.,

3 STORES IN ONE

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Miss Ellie H. Brown, Mus. M. and B. E. Piano—Organ, Harmony, Musical History and Elocution.
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Mr. Joe H. Alexander will be in charge of the Violin department until a new teacher can be secured.
Pupils may enter at any time.
Catalogues sent to any address upon application or full information furnished at the office.

ANNA W. BERRY, Directress.

# BEYOND QUESTION

## JNO. G. CLOYD,

144 East Main street is selling first class groceries for less money than than the same can be had of any other house in the city. Most of the business is done for the purpose of making a small profit, but "just for his health" is selling Booth oysters at 25 cents per can and a guaranteed straight winter wheat flour at $1.00 for 50 lb sack. Don't forget the number

## 144 E. Main, - Decatur.

Telephone 36.

# MORNING REVIEW

TUESDAY, MARCH, 18, 1890.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WE are authorized to announce the name of E. G. ALLEN, as a candidate for Collector of Decatur township, subject to the republican township convention.

FRED J. SMITH announces himself as a candidate for assessor at the coming township election.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY METZ as a candidate for re-election as alderman from the fourth ward at the coming municipal election.

WE are authorized to announce the name of JOHN F. RECHTER as a candidate for alderman in the fourth ward at the ensuing city election.

WE are authorized to announce R. O. ROSEN as a candidate for alderman from the 3d ward at the coming city election.

WE are authorized to announce ROBT. W. FEDGESON as a candidate for alderman in the 5th ward at the ensuing city election.

WE are authorized to announce C. T. Kincaid as a candidate for assessor of Decatur township at the ensuing election.

## MATTERS OF FACT.

Henry Bros keep the best bread in the city.

If you want a good, clean, wholesome lunch, go to Henry Bros.

A fine line of Florida oranges at Bramble's, 155 North Water street.

BEAUTIFUL French and American sateens at TIFFLY Linn & Scruggs.

Gold pens, beautiful pearl handles, just the thing for a gift, at J. E. Saxton's book store.

For kid glove oranges, the finest in the market, go to Bramble's, 155 North Water street.

LADIES' JACKETS In all the novelties, very handsome and cheap, at Linn & Scruggs.

Bachman Bros. will sell you a baby buggy for cash or on time. The finest, largest line in the city.

The largest stock, greatest variety and handsomest goods can at all times be found at Linn & Scruggs.

Prudent housekeepers who want to preserve their reputation as breadmakers, should always use White Foam and White Bread flour.

Whenever you hear a song that you like, go to Prescott's and get the music. At the same time you may look at his large stock of musical instruments.

VAN DYKE, new and handsome DRESS TRIMMINGS, just received at Linn & Scruggs'.

Beautiful satines at Linn & Scruggs'.

Just received a large consignment of fresh garden and field seed, which we will wholesale and retail.

THE SPENCER & LEHMAN CO.

We pride ourselves on three things especially. They are, the very best goods, the lowest prices and the easiest terms. G. W. Scovill, 215 south side park.

Have you been to Prescott's to see his large stock of music and all kinds of musical instruments? If you have not, go at once and see what a Decatur house can do.

CHENILLE, 60 pairs, all colors, at $5.62.
CURTAINS, 40 pairs, all colors, at $7.85.
The greatest bargains ever offered at Linn & Scruggs'.

Make yourself happy by taking your shoes to E. W. Chandler for repairs. He does the best work in the city, and attends to everything with promptness. In tabernacle building.

Werner & Neubecker have opened a first-class saloon on Front street, and will be glad to see their friends and the public generally. Only the best brands of liquors and cigars will be kept.

Get a nice picture free. Buy Acme soap, the best and most economical to use. Will not shrivel the hands or make them sore. Easy work on wash day.

HANKS & PATTERSON.

The mass of the people of Decatur do not belong to New York's select "four hundred." They were not born with fortunes ready made, but with brains and stout hearts and hands, and are building homes for themselves and children, to be furnished on the easy payment plan at Scovill's, 215 south side park.

Greatly reduced rates via the Wabash to Kansas City, St. Joseph, Atchison, Leavenworth, Council Bluffs, Omaha and all points west. Remember the Wabash is the only line running solid trains to Missouri river points. Rates always as low as via any other line. Call on or address

F. W. GREENE,
Pass. Tkt. Agt. Wabash R. R., Union Depot, Decatur.

"Yes," said old Price, "taters worth half what they uster be; corn 'way down to nothin'; oats down, butter down, eggs down, furniture down, stoves down, carpets down—everything down—and I'd like to know, by gol, what keeps folks from gettin' married when they can buy everything 'way down and pay for it on the easy payment plan at Scovill's, south side of the park.

While you are in the Standard sewing machine office don't allow the bicycle riding of the ladies, gents, boys and girls to occupy your entire time. See and know for yourself the many points of superiority the Standard sewing machine has over all others. Give the Merritt typewriter some notice, and remember we have the best of sewing machine and bicycle oil, also sewing machine needles. You can have various excuses for calling. No charge for admission. No. 110 and 114 library block.

### Why Not?

Examine those shoes that Barber & Baker are selling at manufacturer's prices. They are good, and you will like them if you see them. They invite you to investigate, and if you do not buy they will treat you right. If you want a first-class shoe you can find it. They do not keep the shoddy stuff at any price.

### Abel's Carpet House

has exclusive control of the folding flexible steel wire matt, best metallic door mat in use.

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GUARANTEED *Pure Beef* in concentrated form. Sold in jars, like jelly in bottles. Housekeepers find it invaluable for Soups, Stews, Meat Sauces, Beef Tea, etc. As a Beef Tea it is easily the most nutritious and delicious ever prepared for invalids, infants and others. Appetizing and strengthening. Ask your druggist or grocer for

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DECATUR ILLINOIS

## DUST TO DUST.

G. C. CALDWELL.

The remains of G. C. Caldwell were taken to Mattoon yesterday morning, and funeral services were held yesterday afternoon in that city, Rev. C. M. Morton, of the Presbyterian church, conducting the services. The relatives of the deceased are, his mother, Mrs. Julia A. Caldwell, of Leavenworth, Ind., Mrs. Minnie C. Davis, of Lincoln, Nebraska, a sister, E. C., J. H., J. G. Caldwell, of Mattoon, brothers, and a nephew, Harry Jenkins, of Corwith, Ind. The brothers arrived here yesterday and accompanied the remains to Mattoon.

MRS. EMILY L. SMITH.

Mrs. Emily L. Smith, the aged mother of Will L. Smith, died at her son's house on North Warren street Sunday morning, in her 82d year. Mrs. Smith had been sick since last Thanksgiving, at times very sick, at others much better, but her death has not been unexpected for several weeks. All that love and devotion and medical science could do was done for her, and her end was painless. She was born September 5, 1808, in Newark, New Jersey, and lived in this county since 1838. She leaves three children, W. L. and T. F. Smith, and Mrs. Emma A. Thomas, and one grandson, Charles E. Smith. Deceased was long identified with the Methodist Episcopal church, and was one of those christians whose many good deeds done by the right hand was not known by the left. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon, Rev. T. W. Pinkerton conducting the services and preaching a pathetic and eloquent sermon. The choir was composed of M. Johnson, E. E. Johnson, Mrs. A. W. Conklin, and Miss Lissa Jones, and hymns sung were beautiful and appropriate. The interment was made in Greenwood cemetery, the following gentlemen acting as pall-bearers: Benjamin Dill, Theodore Coleman, Harvey Mahannah, A. Bradley, W. L. Latham, and W. H. Acuff.

JOHN W. COAN.

The funeral of John W. Coan took place from Perl's Tabernacle Sunday forenoon, and a large number of friends and relatives accompanied the remains to their last resting place in the Catholic cemetery. The following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: Thomas and John Godfrey, James and Edward Walsh, Patrick O'Connor and Daniel Conroy.

MRS. J. E. SMITH.

The funeral of Mrs. J. E. Smith, whose body was brought from Rich Hill, Mo., to this city, took place yesterday morning from the residence of the daughter of the deceased, Mrs. W. J. Brown, 327 South Main street, Rev. W. H. Penhallegon conducting the services. The Arion Quartette sang several beautiful selections, among which were, "Nearer My God to Thee," "Come Unto Me" and "Father Hear Thy Children." The W. C. T. U., and the Presbyterian Endeavor societ sent beautiful floral offerings, besides numerous private offerings. The pall-bearers were W. T. Wells, T. T. Roberts, W. D. Lewis, J. R. Gorin, W. R. Scruggs and Daniel Dustman. The interment was made in Greenwood cemetery.

## PROF. ALMEDA IS HERE!

CLAIRVOYANT.

PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE REVEALED TO ALL.

Prof. Almeda, reliable trance medium medium and magnetic healer, will tell your past, present and future without a mistake. Gives valuable information on all matters. Will give you truthful advice on business, law, money matters and all family affairs, being gifted with a rare and wonderful insight in such matters, and never known to make a mistake. The future plainly revealed, lovers united, troubles healed, reunites the separated from whatever cause, and causes happy marriages. Gives names of friends and enemies, also the one you will marry. Tells what to do and where to go to be lucky. All in trouble call. Those desiring reliable information on all affairs of life or business are invited to call. All counsel strictly confidential. Please call early, as this is only a short visit, and the professor can be found only at his office, over Walter Hutchin's store, 117 North Water street.

### Madame May,

THE GREATEST CLAIRVOYANT OF THE DAY,

is here. Those desiring reliable advice on all matters should not miss this opportunity. The past, present and future plainly revealed, lovers united, troubles healed, reunites those separated from whatever causes, and causes happy marriages, gives names of friends and enemies, tells name of your future wife or husband. Tells what to do and where to go to be lucky. Those desiring reliable information on all affairs of life or business are invited to call. All counsel strictly confidential. Please call early. Office in Perl Block, South Main street, 2d floor.

### Disgusting Drugs.

Blue-mass for torpid liver, castor oil for constipation, other disgusting drugs for piles, dyspepsia, and sick-headache, are being surely banished from use by the sweet, fruit like Hamburg Figs. 25 cents. Dose, one Fig. Mack Drug Co., N. Y.

### Palpitation of The Heart.

Persons who suffer from occasional palpitation of the heart are often unaware that they are the victims of heart disease, and are liable to die without warning. They should banish this alarming symptom, and cure the disease by using Dr. Flint's Remedy Mack Drug Co., N. Y.

### The Ladies Delighted.

The pleasant effect and the perfect safety with which ladies may use the liquid fruit laxative, Syrup of Figs, under all conditions make it their favorite remedy. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, gentle, yet effectual in acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels.

### Big Opening.

Chicago Cheap store has opened a 3c department; 3,000 articles, all at 3 cents. Gold band dishes and Alfred Meaken china being received. Big Chicago Cheap store, South Side Park.

### Largest Stock and Plain Figures.

All goods marked in plain figures at Muleady & Son's. Perfect fits guaranteed. Largest stock in the city.

### Old Prices.

The Decatur Short Line again has for sale at Gorin, Dawson & Co.'s bank, its book containing 300 tickets for $10.

### Brakemen and Switchmen

Go and get a brakeman puzzle or a calliope with a pair of shoes, at Powers' shoe store.

### Hard Coal.

I have a full supply of the best grades of hard coal. Prices and quality guaranteed. Principal office, 628 North Main street.

E. L. MARTIN.

## DEEDS OF A SAINT.

ELOQUENT DISCOURSE ON ST. PATRICK BY FATHER MACKIN.

**A Large Crowd at St. Patrick's Church—The Patron Saint's Early Trials—His Wonderful Success in Ireland—The Inheritance He Left the Irish People.**

There was some observance of St. Patrick's Day in Decatur. Very Rev. P. J. Mackin delivered a very entertaining address on St. Patrick and his work in Ireland. The lecture was given at St. Patrick's church last night, and was listened to by an immense crowd of people. All standing room was occupied, and a great many people who could not gain entrance had to go away.

After the lecture there was singing of one or two Irish national airs, everything closing with benediction. A synopsis of the Very Rev. Father's address is here given.

"When Christ established His religion on earth He was careful to insist upon the greatest faith. He tested the faith of Peter on several occasions before appointing him head of the church. Christ also demanded a strong and active love from His disciples. Nearly 400 years after the time of the apostles Erin was found in darkness and the shadow of death. But the paganism that was found in Ireland was not of the revolting kind. There was very little of the lust and bestiality found in other pagan countries. As pagans, the Irish worshiped the highest and most splendid material object to be found, the sun. They worshiped in beautiful groves. There were rare Christians in Ireland before St Patrick's day, something that we know from the fact that the country had a bishop.

The great man who was to be Ireland's apostle was chosen by God from his birth. His baptism was signalized by a miracle. We know little of the earlier years of our apostle. His place of birth is claimed by three nations. He was carried as a slave to Ireland; in which capacity he served for six years, tending flocks in Donegal. This slavery was a disciplinary training during which St. Patrick learned the Irish language. During this time he prayed 100 times a day and as often at night, and in this way was his faith strengthened.

There were miracles connected with St. Patrick's escape from slavery. He went to the continent and spent 30 years in preparing himself for his ministry. This was necessary in his case for he had to preach to an enlightened pagan nation, ready witted and possessing all the knowledge there was among pagans in those days. He spent a short time in England with St. Germaine and was recommended to the Roman authorities as a man to be sent to Ireland. He went to Rome and was consecrated bishop and was sent to Ireland with full powers. At this time he was 60 years of age. His reception upon landing in Ireland was not at first a hearty one. He traveled from place to place. A young boy saw him while asleep and gathered wild roses to place around his head. This boy never left him and afterwards became the successor of St. Patrick. His name is St. Benignus.

St. Patrick started out to convert his former master. The old slaveholder killed himself when he heard of his former slave's coming, but the children embraced Christianity. St. Patrick next went to the Hill of Tara and here defeated the Druid priests argument and in an exposition of miraculous work. It was here that St. Patrick made use of the shamrock to illustrate the Trinity. The king gave him free permission to preach throughout Ireland.

The work of St. Patrick was the most wondrous since the time of the apostles. It was because he had faith, hope and love. His voice was heard in every part of Ireland. It was wonderful that a man of 60 should live to see the pagan nation converted and filled with bishops, churches, monasteries and schools. St. Patrick always impressed the necessity of strong faith on his people, and it is the inheritance they have from him to-day. He told the Irish people to look to Rome, "there is the lodestar." And this advice stood by the Irish people in the days of trial that followed. Afterward, when there were three men claiming to be pope, the Irish kept their eyes on Rome.

St. Patrick implanted in his people a love for Christian education and learning. Ireland was for 400 years after his time the light and university of Europe. Some of the Irish schools had as many as 7000 students. They feared to go into no study, but gave everything a religious foundation. The Irish people to-day have a similar love for education, but not for the godless kind. St. Patrick also taught the necessity of penance. He spent the time of lent in retirement, prayer and penance. It was during one of his lenten prayers and fasts that he got a promise from Heaven that the faith should never depart from Ireland. The answer to St. Patrick's prayer saved Ireland in the darkest days that have followed.

We have a glorious inheritance from St. Patrick. We should be careful, above all, to hand it down to the generations that are to come. And the best resolution you can make on this day is to hand down with the old faith a good, sound and solid christian education.

Gout in most cases first makes itself known by an acute pain in the joint of the great toe. This most excruciating pain may be likened to that produced by the driving of a wedge under the nail. For gout use Salvation Oil. Price 25 cents a bottle.

"Drink, pretty creature, drink," a little at a time of Dr. Bull's cough syrup, and you will relieve your cold and not rack your chest and lungs to pieces and keep everybody else in a state of agitation. Price 25 cents.

### Beginning Class.

Persons wishing to enter the incoming class of the Bible School will confer a special favor by informing me at once, and, if possible, meeting with the class Friday, March 21, 11 a. m. J. L. PINKERTON.

## Four Years on Crutches.

For fifteen years I was afflicted with rheumatism, four years of which I was compelled to go on crutches. Words are inadequate to express the suffering I endured during that time. During these fifteen years of existence (it was not living), I tried every known remedy without receiving any benefit. I finally began on Swift's Specific (S. S. S.), which from the first gave me relief, and today I am enjoying the best of health, and am a well man. I candidly believe that S. S. S. is the best blood purifier on the market today. J. D. TAYLOR, Cuba, Mo.

Treatise on Blood and Skin Diseases mailed free. SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta Ga.

# A FEW OF THE GREATEST

# BARGAINS

WHICH

# LINN & SCRUGGS.

Have Procured at Special Sales in the Eastern Markets and will be Offered for Sale this Week.

900 Yards Striped Surah at 45 cents per yard.

1200 Yards Extra Fine Striped Surah at 68 cent per yard.

500 Yards Golden Rule Black Silk at $1.00. The Best Value Ever Offered.

700 Yards Golden Rule Black Silk at $1.25, $1.50 and $1.85. All Warranted not to cut and of Exceptional Value.

2000 Yards Remnant Lace Curtain Scrim at 7 cents a yard.

500 Pairs Lace Curtains at Half Their Value.

Ladies Jackets in New Styles, in Great Variety, and at Low Prices.

A New Assortment of Cashmere Ombre Sateens at 22 cents.

6000 Yards Sateens at 12 1-2 in Elegant Styles.

# GIVE US YOUR NAME!

As we propose getting up a new directory, and in order to make it complete we wish the name and address of every lady who purchases goods in Decatur, no matter where she lives; and as an inducement to those favoring us with their names and address, we will give them a chance in the following prizes namely:

1 prize of 75 yards Lowell Body Brussels Carpet.
1 prize of 20 yards best Black $1.00 Silk.
1 prize of one $25.00 Cloak.
1 prize of 20 yards best Black $2.00 Silk.
1 prize of 20 yards best Colored $1.00 Silk.
1 prize of 25 yards best Lowell Ingrain Carpet.
1 prize of one best $10.00 Shawl.
1 prize of one pair best $8.00 Blankets.
2 prizes each of 10 yards best 80 cent Black Cashmere.
1 prize of one best $7.00 Child's Cloak.
2 prizes each of one Lady's $7.00 Jacket.
1 prize of one best $5.00 Parasol.
1 prize of one best $5.00 Rug.
3 prizes each of one best $5.00 Gold Headed Silk Umbrella.
5 prizes each of one best $3.00 Marseilles Spread.
4 prizes each of one Furniture Protector Carpet Sweeper.
4 prizes each of 25 yards best Table Linen, at 75 cents a yard.
12 prizes each of one pair $2.00 Kid Gloves.
40 prizes each of 12 yards best Dress Ginghams.
12 prizes each of one best $1.00 Corset.
3 prizes each of one best $1.00 Kid Gloves.

Or their equivalent in any other article of merchandise.

The drawing to take place the First Day of January, 1891. The prizes will be distributed under the direction of such persons as will insure justice and satisfaction to all.

Every lady who has her name in our directory will have one chance, that will cost her nothing except the trouble of *calling at our place of business and giving* us her address.

# Linn & Scruggs

# NEW PRICES

## Made To-Day by

# LOGAN & BEIK.

# MORE CUTS:

New prices are published for the first time this morning by the low price firm. All the changes made in the table below are for the consumer's benefit. The prices are lower in every instance. The goods are still of the best. The people are fast learning for really first-class goods at bottom prices, the place to go is Logan & Beik's.

### SUGARS.

| | |
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| Granulated Sugar, 13 lbs for | $1 00 |
| A Sugar, 13¼ lbs for | 1 00 |
| 15 lbs white extra C Sugar | 1 00 |
| 15½ lbs C Sugar | 1 00 |
| Good Syrups, per gallon | 40 |

### COFFEE PACKAGES.

| | |
|---|---|
| XXXX | 25c |
| Arbuckles | 25c |
| Lion | 25c |
| Queen B | 25c |
| Bonola | 25c |
| Good Coffee in Bulk | 22c |

### TEAS.

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| Japan | 15c to 50c |
| Imperial (best) | 50c |
| Y. H. | 35c to 50c |
| Japan Tea in 1 lb cans | 40c |

### HAMS.

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|---|---|
| Kingham hams, per lb | 12½c |
| California hams, per lb | 7½c |
| Breakfast Bacon | 12½c |
| Heavy Bacon | 10c |
| Best lard, per lb | 10c |
| Chipped dried beef | 20c |
| Best coal oil per gallon | 15c |
| Best vinager per gallon | 20c |

### FLOUR.

Best roller process Flour, per sack 50 pounds ..... $1 05

### SOAPS.

| | |
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| 8 bars Logan & Beik's | 25c |
| 7 bars Lautz Bros' | 25c |
| 6 Lenox soap | 25c |

### MISCELLANEOUS.

| | |
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| Fancy raisins, new | 10c |
| New French prunes | 8½c |
| Sardines, 7c, or 4 for | 25c |
| Canned peaches in syrup | 20c |
| Canned black berries | 8½c |
| Sibley corn, 7c, 4 for | 25c |
| Baking powder in pound cans | 15c |
| Baking powder in bulk | 15c |
| Mackerel in pound cans | 10c |
| Star tobacco | 45c |
| Climax tobacco | 45c |
| Big 4 tobacco | 30c |
| Horse Shoe tobacco, per pound | 45c |
| Lemons, per doz | 25c |
| Brooms | 10c |

## THESE PRICES ARE FOR SPOT CASH.

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We will buy the plant and run her wide open to make you Aware of the fact that the

# B. STINE CLOTHING CO.

Has Fully Decided

# TO DISPOSE OF THEIR ENTIRE STOCK

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# FOR 30 DAYS ONLY.

The Extensive Preparations, in Placing our order in January for our Immense Spring Stock forces us to make room for them. hence this sacrifice.

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In looking through the bes Stock of Boy's and Children's Clothing in Decatur at 25 per cent discount. Call at once. Yours to please,

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# WORSE THAN FIRE!

Big Reduction Sale Now in Progress at

**JOHN IRWIN'S WHITE FRONT.**

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**INVOICED VALUE**

**$20,000.00.**

No damaged goods in Stock. Firstclass tailor made clothing, Best American made and imported underwear and hosiery, Stetson's hats, Wilson Bros. fine dress shirts, elegant neckwear, Coon and E. & W. collars. Continued ill health compels me to sell out. The slaughter has commenced and will continue to the end. The good will and stock would be sold in bulk at a bargain.

**JOHN IRWIN, MGR.**
**WHITE FRONT.**



# SPECIAL : OFFERINGS : THIS : WEEK

—AT—

# THE NEW STORE

(Next to Millikin's Bank.)

100 Pairs Lace Curtains Full Length 60 cents.
100 Pairs Lace Curtains, Full Length 75 cents.
75 Pairs Lace Curtains, Extra Length and Width 85 cents
60 Pairs Lace Curtains, Extra Length and Width $1.00.
50 Pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price $2.50 for $1.25.
40 Pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price $3.00 for $1.47.
40 Pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price $4.00 for $1.98.
30 Pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price $5.00 for $2.43.
25 Pairs Lace Curtains, Former Price $7.00 for $3.75.
A Few Pairs of Lace Curtains Worth $17.00 for $8.50.

**S. HUMPHREYS.**

AGENT FOR STANDARD PATTERNS.



DO YOUR **LAMP CHIMNEYS** BREAK?
YOU GET THE WRONG SORT; THE RIGHT ONES
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Same old stand, 104 North Water St.



# MORNING REVIEW

TUESDAY MARCH, 18, 1890.


## YOURSELF AND OTHERS.

Dr. Catto was at Bearsdale yesterday.

W. F. Goodwin, of Pierson, is in the city.

Dr. S. H. Swain went to Taylorville yesterday.

George J. Schultz, 816 West King street, is very sick.

George R. Bohon left yesterday for Lexington, Ky.

J. M. Horton, of Sullivan, is visiting Decatur friends.

Dr. Wallace of Long Creek is in the city visiting friends.

Rev. W. C. Bell, of Lincoln, was in the city yesterday.

John K. Warren has returned from a visit to Chicago.

Mrs. T. W. Douglass returned home to Peoria yesterday.

Mrs. Fannie Walmsley of East Condit street is very sick.

W. S. and Chauncey Turpin, of Dalton City, are in the city.

James McKinley of 636 East Wood street is dangerously sick.

Harvey Shepard, of the C., B. & Q., spent Sunday in Springfield.

J. E. Miller, of Worthington, Ind., is visiting D. A. Barrackman.

Elitor Winters and wife, of Lovington, were in the city yesterday.

Miss Julia Price of Illiopolis visited with Decatur friends last Sunday.

W. H. Elwood and wife left yesterday for Springfield, Mo., on a visit.

Rt. Reverend Bishop Spaulding, of Peoria, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Etta Shimer has returned from an extended visit in Greenville, Ill.

Mrs. Kate Fanning and Miss Bridget Nally have returned from Sullivan.

Dixie McGuire, of Bethany, is in town enjoying the realities of a live city.

Miss Sallie Rigley is in the city visiting Miss Emma Wiegand, 149 South Water.

Miss Maggie Sheehey returned from Chicago yesterday, and will go to Bethany today.

Mrs. Julia Nolan and Miss Katie McEvoy left for Springfield to visit friends, yesterday.

Miss Katie Jackson, of Macon, has returned to her home after a brief visit at Pana.

J. L. Wheeler, of Tuscola, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Sam Ackerman, of West Macon street.

Mrs. Dr. Roe and son left for Springfield yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Roe's brother.

Jack Tracy and wife, of Clinton, are visiting their daughter, the wife of Switchman Duffy, in this city.

Miss Celia Shultz, who has been visiting Miss Katie McEvoy, left for her home in Chicago Sunday night.

Mrs. B. F. McClellan, wife of the principal of the Sullivan schools, is in the city visiting and shopping.

Mail Carrier O'Connor who has been taking a vacation for the past week, will resume his duties to-day.

Miss Clara Shock, who has been the guest of her parents at Oreana for the past week, has returned to this city.

Elmer Rosencrantz of the Short Line, ran a nail in his foot the other day and has been forced to take a lay off.

A sister of Mrs. William Marriott arrived from England Saturday, and will make her home in this city in the future.

Elmer Miller, late of The Dispatch, has accepted a position with Powers Bros.' and will begin his new duties to-day.

Mrs. L. J. Morgan received a telegram yesterday that her daughter, Miss Ida, arrived at Spokane Falls, Wash., all right.

Mrs. C. Lane and daughter Miss Cora, and Mrs. Dan Sherman and daughter Dora, of Sullivan, are visiting friends in this city.

James Moran left for a business trip to Chicago yesterday. He took his green dog with him to show to World's Fair exhibitors.

Misses Beatrice and Josie Howard, of Oreana, returned home yesterday after a week's visit with friends and relatives in Decatur.

Misses Lily Wheeler and Alberta Davis departed for their home in Long Creek yesterday after several days visit with friends in this city.

Hon. Edward Lynch of Lincoln, was in the city yesterday enroute to Taylorville, where he delivered a lecture on St. Patrick last night.

Dr. W. B. Hostetler has returned from Kansas City, where he attended the funerbl of Dr. Jackson, late chief surgeon of the Wabash system.

D. L. Bunn, William Sherman and other members of Decatur Lodge I. O. G. T. went to Maroa yesterday to attend some Good Templar business, last night.

Rev. Scrimger and wife, Dr. Buck and wife, Rev. James Miller and wife and J. R. Reesner of Macon, left for Bloomington yesterday to attend the funeral services of the late Dr. Adams.

Mrs. William Ward and Misses Carrie, Annie and Maggie Coan, of Chicago, sisters of John W. Coan, deceased, were in the city Sunday, attending the funeral of the latter. They will return to their home to-day.

Misess Katie Sullivan, Katie Gallagher and Mamie Flynn, and Messrs. George Mauzy, Pat Donahue, George Russell and Dan Higgins went to Bement last night to attend the banquet and ball given at that place.

Dr. Hilligoss, of Dalton City, has traded his fine residence in Dalton City for a stock of drugs in Charleston, Ill., and the doctor will move to that place in a short time. His brother John will remain in charge of the Dalton City business.

Mesdames Charles Smith, John Gay, George Tyler and Miss Gussie Smith, of Mattoon, Ill., J. L. Minor and wife, of Rich Hill, Mo., Mrs. John Mason and Robert and Wilson Mason, of Clinton, Ill., were in the city yesterday attending the funeral of Mrs. J. E, Smith.

# THE SAME INTEREST.

## THE SECOND SUNDAY IN THE MILLS' REVIVAL.

**All the Services as Largely Attended—Reports of Three Sermons—A Great Day—Announcements—Notes.**

Day before yesterday was the second Sunday in the Mills revival. The first was a day of remarkable interest to all the Christian people in the city. The second was equally as full of interest, and apparently all the services were as largely attended as they could be, because the buildings in which they were held were packed each time. Saturday and Sunday 300 cards were signed and handed in, making over 1,000 that have been handed in during the meetings.

SUNDAY MORNING.

At the opera house Sunday morning every seat was occupied and nearly all the standing room was taken. The scripture lesson was the 139th Psalm. Rev. G. D. Vosburgh offered prayer and Rev. W. H. Penhallegon announced that envelopes would be handed every one at the close of the service, that persons might place in them a free-will offering for Mr. Mills. He said he was not speaking as the mouthpiece of Mr. Mills, but of the pastors, that when they asked Mr. Mills what his charges would be, he said "Brethren, I have no bill against you. You must make no provision for me." Wherever they go they are willing to depend upon what the people are willing to give to them as a free-will offering to the Lord. Mr. Penhallegon said: "We should feel this an obligation as well as a privilege, and thus show our appreciation of their services."

After a song by Mr. Greenwood, "The Handriting on the Wall," Mr. Mills took for his text, "He that covereth his sins shall not prosper," found in the 28th chapter of Prov. and the 13th verse. The deepest curse of sin is the insensibility which it produces. If the more a man sinned the more he felt it, it would not take us long to get rid of sin. Sometimes men cover their sins by taking limited views of God's law. The standard of judgment is to be according to what we are not and what we do not do, not according to what we are and do. In the second place, men cover their sins by false assertions as to the mercy of God. How do you know that God is merciful? It is only from this Book, which is the record of the love and dealing of God; it is only in the revelation of Jesus Christ, the son of God; it is only in the salvation of man, that God has rescued from despair and death; that you learn of the mercy of God.

Men sometimes cover their sins by setting up false standards. You are going to be judged by the perfect standard for your own self. And they cover their sins by affirming they have no responsibility in connection with the matter. You never committed one sin but you might have refrained from it. God has provided a way of escape from sin and you might lay hold upon it.

Sometimes men cover their sins by alleging that their sins are secret or few or small. There are no secret sin in the sight of God. A little cord will strangle a man. One touch of poison on the tip of a finger will kill a man. One little sin has in it the power of infinite multiplication.

Then men cover their sins by trying to believe that the consequences of sin are light and temporal. It violates every sense of justice. We know there must be judgment, if only that the inequalities of this world may be equalized in the world to come. The more righteously we try to live the nearer we come to God, the more awful does sin seem to us.

There is one more way by which men try to cover their sins. They affirm they have no feeling about them. If you are a sinner and you are not concerned about it, it is the presage of death. "He that forsaketh and confesseth his sins shall have mercy."

SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

The house was filled at the afternoon meeting for young people only, many persons being obliged to stand. The service was opened by singing "Wonderful Words of Life." Prayer by Rev. G. E. Scrimger.

The text was Exodus viii: 10, "And he said, To-morrow." Mr. Mills said he would give five reasons why persons should commence to serve God before to-morrow. First, you do not know that you can get rid of your sins to-morrow. You get so bound by habit that you cannot get rid of them. Second reason, your influence is needed to-day. If you do not exert your influence for God, He is going to hold you to account for it. You are going to miss enough joy during the rest of the day to compensate for all the earthly pleasures of the rest of your life. You are very anxious to get rich in this world, but you can take out a credit at a good bank that will never break. A credit at the bank of Heaven. You can go out of this world rich or poor. You only have in eternity what you give away. You have just what you do for God and humanity, that will endure forever. "Boast not thyself of the morrow, for thou knowest not what a day may bring forth." God gives you to-day, He cannot give you yesterday or to-morrow.

A second meeting was held after the preaching service. The lower floor was filled and many seats in the balcony were occupied.

SUNDAY NIGHT.

The meeting at night was for men only. The immense opera house was as well filled as on the Sunday night previous. Mr. Greenwood sang some solos, and conducted a delightful song service. Rev. W. C. Miller made the opening prayer, and Rev. G. D. Vosburgh made the same announcement about a free-will offering for Mr. Mills that had been made in the morning.

Mr. Mills took his text, "Is it nothing to you," from Lamentations i:12. It was a sermon strong in its simplicity. The speaker's earnestness gave his words greater weight. He divided his discourse under four heads: First, Is it nothing to you that you are a sinner? Second, Is it nothing to you that Christ is a great Savior? Third, Is it nothing to you that this is a grand time to begin a Christian life? Fourth, Is it nothing to you that this may be your last opportunity to become a Christian?

At the conclusion of the sermon about 70 arose and thereby said they would become Christians. Then several who have handed in cards in the last two weeks, gave testimonials, and afterwards a number who had handed in cards that night.

THE WOMEN'S MEETING.

The Methodist church was filled Sunday night by ladies who listened with interest to Rev. T. W. Pinkerton. He preached from John xvi:32, "And your joy no man taketh from you." A number of cards were signed.

MONDAY NIGHT.

The opera house was full last night, two or three hundred standing. Mr. Mills asked the people of God to spend a few minutes in silent prayer before beginning the sermon, saying there could not be a theme of greater solemnity.

The text was John xii:39—"Therefore they could not believe." They would not believe and a time came when they could not believe. Speaking of the word "opportunity," he said, "It is the word of words in the Bible. It is the teaching of the garden of Eden and the fall of man. It is the story of the coming and the redemption of Jesus Christ. It is the voice of eternity. It is the voice of judgment." The Holy Ghost is God's last and best and greatest gift to man. God sent His Son and men rejected Him; they crucified Him. Then He sent His holy spirit and if men reject Him there can be nothing more done for them, there can be no forgiveness for them in this world or the world to come. There are thousands who have the understanding darkened; they are alienated from the light of God, because of the blindness of their hearts. There is no man living who wants to do right that will not be brought into the light of Jesus Christ. There is no power on earth, there is no influence on earth that ever gives to men a right desire, a holy desire, except it be by the spirit of God. The speaker closed with the warning to remember the story of the 10 virgins and the five who came and the door was shut.

The aftermeeting was a large audience, filling the first floor and the balcony. Many persons rose for prayers.

NOTES

Messrs. Mills and Greenwood have their time laid out until next fall. From here they go to Jacksonville, thence back to Newark, N. J., where 85 churches are waiting for them to conduct union services. After that they go to Bridgeport, Conn., then to Bath, Me., then to Reading, Mass. That will be the last place before summer. They will then take a vacation of two months. Mr. Mills will spend his vacation in the mountains. He frequently conducts, even in summer, a revival lasting four or five days, drawing the country people for miles around. Mr. Mills preaches every Sunday to whatever congregation may want him.

As the large congregation dispersed Sunday morning, the choir sang "There is a Fountain Filled with Blood." These are a few of the things said about the Sunday morning sermon: "That was a searcher," "Best sermon I ever heard," "Wonderful," "Grandest thing I ever heard," "I don't understand how anyone can try to keep his sins after hearing that."

The number of cards received Saturday and Sunday was more than 300. Seventy were signed at the men's meeting.

The congregational singing reached its climax Sunday morning, as the vast audience joined in the familiar song, "At the Cross."

Some one remarked as the people were pouring into the house last night, "that "They are like bees swarming." It took just five minutes to fill the first floor and balcony.

As announced Sunday, there was a Thanksgiving Service yesterday afternoon, which was largely attended. Mr. Mills read a part of the 7th chapter of I Samuel.

### Changes His Creed.

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The Christian church here was filled last evening, every seat being filled and every foot of standing room taken and hundreds were turned away from the door, who had come to listen to the Rev. Mr. Goodrich's farewell sermon in which he renounced the doctrine he has been preaching for the last six or seven years to accept a broader and more liberal religion.

Mr. Goodrich came here some two years ago to fill the pulpit at the Christian church and by his eloquence, liberal way of thinking and preaching, won for himself many friends outside the church, and some few enemies among the other members of his congregation. Hereafter he will occupy every other Sunday the pulpit of the Universalist church at Springfield, lecturing here the next. This evening there will be a business meeting at the Christian church, when it is thought many of the members will follow Mr. Goodrich. S.

### Police Pickings.

Officer Leech arrested J. W. Elgin yesterday, for peddling goods without a license. He will be tried before Justice Provost this morning.

Fairbee Bristow swore out a warrant yesterday against a boy named Morgan, for assaulting her son with a toy pistol. Officer Leech served the warrant.

A colored woman named Brown, living at the corner of Colfax and Oglesby streets, met "a tall middle aged white man with a white scarf around his neck," and he made improper proposals to her, and scared her in other ways. The police were notified and put in considerable time in hunting the middle aged masher yesterday evening, but without success.

### C. T. Kincaid.

The above named gentleman is announced this morning as a candidate for township assessor and the question is now asked, "Who will withdraw, Keeler, Smith or Kincaid?" Not Kincaid by any means. He is on to stay. He is a man that has conducted his own business successfully and is capable of looking after the interests of the public. He is in this race not to show any malice or gratify any personal spite, but he means square business and requests the votes of all who can consistently cast their ballots for him.

### The Union Depot.

Superintendent Bresie has returned from St. Louis, and still is firmly of the opinion that the Illinois Central intend to build a new union depot in this city this summer. He did not see Manager Hays, of the Wabash, but he did see the president of his own company, and it is true that the Central officials desired to get dimensions, etc., of the space required by the Pacific Express Co. The depot will be built, or at least such is the opinion among railroad men, whose positions entitle their opinions to respect.

### Fell from a Trpeze.

The 13 year-old son of Henry Smith fell from a trapeze at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night and broke his left arm at the elbow and wrist. The lad was taken to the office of Drs. Catto & Jones where the necessary surgical attention was given. He was then taken to his home at 518 Prairie Avenue.

### In the County Court.

Judge Nelson and County Superintendent Evans wrestled all day yesterday with the annual reports of county officers, and they are yet not through. No orders were made on the dockets yesterday.

### Funeral Notice.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Mary A. Luttrell will take place from Stapp's chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Greenwood cemetery.

## AWFUL DEATH

**Of Human Beings in Indianapolis in Sight of Horrow-Stricken Spectators.**

A fire broke out in Bowen, Merrill & Co.'s Book and Stationary house on Washington street, Indianapolis, about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and it was 8 o'clock before the flames were got under control. Ten persons were killed outright, and about 15 others were buried in the ruins.

The fire started in the basement in the midst of a quantity of straw boards and wrapping paper. The flames soon penetrated the entire building and sprang up the elevator shaft. Flames ate their way into the roof and the chief sent several firemen with streams of water up to that portion of the building. They seemed to be getting the better of the blaze when suddenly the great roof gave way with a crash, carrying with it the third floor. Then the second, then the first, only stopping in the cellar. Some of the men on the roof jumped for their lives, others went down to death in the red hot debris. In the cellar were several men; they had no warning and were buried beneath the wreckage. On the third floor were several men who went down into the pit of death. The great crowd watching the fire groaned in one voice and then all was still. In a moment the shrieks of the doomed men could be heard above the shouts of firemen and rumbles of engines and roar of flames. Human beings were being roasted alive. Looking into the ruins from the rear the head of a man could be seen projecting from the molten mass. He was buried to the neck in the debris and his tortured head moved to and fro in his awful agony.

## STRAY SCRAPS.

Short Line employes are now wearing badges.

Jonathan Rogan left yesterday for Lafayette, Ind.

The Calumet club elected a director last night to fill a vacancy.

The city engineer has driven stakes for the Jasper street sewer.

Decatur township farmers have petitioned for an F. M. B. A. charter.

An F. M. B. A. lodge was organized at Oakley Saturday with 16 members.

A. L. Brockway and J. L. Osborne have been granted an increase of pensions.

The Niantic depot was broken into Sunday night, and a few articles were stolen from a trunk.

Miss Clara Eyman entertained the Shakespear club last evening. "Julius Cæsar" was considered.

The St. Patrick's day celebrations in Bement and Peoria were attended by a great many Decaturites last night.

The Short Line has got a supply of new bells on the cars, and even a blind man can hear them when they get started.

Thursday an F. M. B. A. club will be organized in Whitmore township. The club will commence life with 50 members.

Principal W. A. Edwards was at Springfield last night to read a paper before the Literary club on "The Frogs" of Aristophanes.

The young lady pupils of the bicycle school took their first outing yesterday under the direction of Prof. Ewing.

The St. Patrick's ball at the armory last night, was attended by about 75 couples. Johnson brothers furnished the music.

Meyers & Hall is the name of a new drug firm at 737 North Water street. It is composed of Drs N. D. Meyers and J. C. Hall.

Edwin A. Ewing will give a dancing party in the rooms of the bicycle school next Thursday night.

Ed Downey, an employe of Mills planing mill, is having a four room house erected on North Calhoun street, which he will occupy as a residence when completed.

James Middleton, formerly of this city, and Miss Maggie Richardson were married at Mattoon last Saturday. Mr. Richardson and wife will make their future home in Lincoln, Mo.

The Chicago News says that the G. A. R. encampment to be held in 1891 in this city, "The birthplace of the Grand Army, will be only second in importance to the national annual encampment."

A great many sprigs of green were worn by Decatur citizens yesterday, and one enthusiastic patrician was seen driving his team with green lines, while numerous green ribbons fluttered from the harness.

There was "no quorum" at the meeting of the Board of Trade members last night, and the further consideration of the business before them was postponed until Thursday night, when it is hoped all the members will be present.

George Robinson, a colored man in the employ of D. W. Brenneman & Co., is carrying around a greatly disfigured face, which he claims is the result of a tussle he had with would-be robbers Saturday night, at the Wood street crossing of the Illinois Central.

Vice President E. J. Martin, of the Short Line, has gone to Chicago to attend a meeting of the stockholders of the line. Much important business will be before the members, and the question of moving the principal offices to this city will be decided. It is probable that some of the Louisville stockholders will return to this city with Mr. Martin, and will remain a few days looking around

### Too Much Morphine.

Edward Drohn, who rooms at the European hotel took a dose of morphine last night to relieve a pain at the heart. He got a trifle too much and came near being relieved from all pain of this world. Dr. Heil was called about 2, and after working a while called in Dr. Chenoweth. They worked two hours and finally brought him around, though it was a narrow escape for Ed.

### The Only One.

The only entertainment at the opera house this week will be "On the Frontier," by Hardy and Von Leer. It is described thus by the New York World:

"As the name implies "On the Frontier," is a play in which life on the borders of civilization is depicted. It is a melodrama, wherein a love story is surrounded by any number of exciting adventures. While the theme is conventional, however, the author has deviated from the western plays of the past, and has made her hero in love with a girl of his own sphere of life, instead of bringing a woman from the scenes of refinement and education, simply to be rescued by the hero and finally married by him. The love scene in the second act between Jack and Blueflower, 'two children of the forest,' is a gem. There is no dearth of action or of striking situations, and the audience testified last night that the love for border drama is strong. Plays in which Indians, scouts, and soldiers figure, are generally popular, and "On the Frontier," is a powerful play, and a faithful picture of rugged western life."

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### Hurley Hustles Away.

Harry Hurley, the man arrested on suspicion of working the change game on a Wabash train a week ago Sunday, was released yesterday on $500 bail, I. A. Buckingham and H. P. Page going on his bond. Hurley and his alleged brother and wife, left on the 11:25 train, presumably for Chicago, to get witnesses for the examination on March 25th. It is the opinion of everybody, though, that they will not be here again if they can help themselves.

Marshal Mason thought Hurley was a crook, and had considerable telegraphic correspondence with the Chicago chief of police about him. It ended Saturday by the chief telegraphing Marshal Mason to hold the man if he could, and if not to say so, and an officer would come for him. The marshal replied that he was about to get out on bail, and to send the officer. He expected a man Saturday or Sunday, sure, but none came, and now the bird has flown. Probably the Chicago chief has lost the only chance of his life to get the only Tascott. The man and woman who were at the Deming three or four days last week, were very nice appearing people, and in a conversation with Marshal Mason as much as admitted they were confidence people, and that putting up bail, and getting it reduced to $500 was a mere matter of dollars and cents. They didn't get it reduced. The money for the bail came in a big bandle by express last Friday.

### Down Went the Baby.

A lady went into the Women's exchange yesterday leaving a baby in a buggy on the sidewalk in charge of two small children. The children paid no attention to the baby, and in some way started the carriage on a roll around the walk. The basement stairway happened to be in the way, so baby, buggy and all went down it with a rush and a bang. There were already two children there, and they set up a great screaming. That attracted a lot more children and they joined lustily in the screaming. The ladies in the exchange rushed out and took a voice in the screaming, so that pretty much everybody in that vicinity, except the baby, were using their lungs and their voice to the best of their ability. The baby which was still in the carriage was carried up, strangely enough, unhurt, but the carriage was broken in several places.

### Universalist Church.

Rev. Sophie Gibb at the morning service took for her theme, "The Relation of This World to the Next, or How to Prepare for Heaven." At the close of the sermon there were three additions to the church. In the evening an interesting song service was held. The musical selections were very fine and heartily enjoyed by the large audience present. Mrs. Gibb also gave several choice selections. A musical and literary program was announced for the Wednesday evening young people's meeting.

### Arrested a Spirit.

Officer Hardy arrested a spirit yesterday, or at least that was what the arrested one said. A stranger went into Huff's restaurant and got a lunch. After eating he said in a lordly way, "Charge that to the court house." Officer Hardy, who was called in, put him in jail, as he evidently was a crank. To Marshal Mason he said he was now a spirit. When he was a mortal his name was John Mackenthe, and he was a son of George Washington. His father lives at Union City, Ind., and the marshal has telegraphed him. The lunatic is 27 years old, and seems to be harmless.

## TRACK AND TRAIN.

H. A. Ward, trainmaster of the Havana line, is in the city.

Peter Ford, T. H. & P. roadmaster was in the city last night.

Wabash Baggagemaster Jason Walker has been seized with la grippe.

Jo Pharo, Western Union line man, left for Mt. Vernon, Ill., yesterday.

Superintendent Jacobs of the Illinois Central was in the city yesterday.

George W. Jenkins is now in charge of the Wabash accommodation between this city and Bluffs.

Harry Kennedy is kicking vigorously because there are so many "wild" trains Sunday nights. They break into other and dearer arrangements of his.

Ed Starr, who was expected to arrive home from the west yesterday, writes to his father, W. H. Starr, that the train on which he had started home, had been wrecked, and that he was considerably bruised. He expects to go home to-morrow.

Land owners near Hillsboro station on the T. H. & P., about 20 miles east of this city, have long wanted a switch put in for their convenience, and they will get one now, as yesterday they deeded to the T. H. & P. railroad all the land necessary for right of way and depot purposes.

Baggagemaster E. F. Mills of the Illinois Central, who has been visiting in Memphis, Tenn., for the past 10 days, returned home Sunday. Ed says water is all over West Memphis and lacks only four inches of being up to the highest water mark on record. People are living in the second stories of their houses, and some places in the bottoms the river is 25 miles wide. He was forced to go around by Milan, Tenn., from there to Cairo, and home by way of Belleville and St. Louis, as direct communications between this city and Memphis are entirely cut off by the water.


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